

Town of Georgetown, IN

Ordinance # G-06- 40

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING §34.15 OF
THE GEORGETOWN CODE OF ORDINANCES,
DIFFERENTIATING PERSONNEL POLICIES
APPLICABLE TO DISTINCT DEPARTMENTS
WITHIN THE TOWN OF GEORGETOWN, INDIANA**

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE
TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GEORGETOWN,
INDIANA THAT:**

WHEREAS, the Town Council of Georgetown has reviewed Section 34.15 of the Town's Code of Ordinances; and,

WHEREAS, the Town Council of Georgetown has identified that the parameters set forth by §34.15 are proper but do not reveal the whole discussion that was held up to and on August 19, 2004; and,

WHEREAS, technically the only employees of the Town who are under the direct control of the Town Council are the Utilities employees, since the employees of the Clerk-Treasurer's Office are political appointees responsible only to the Town Clerk-Treasurer, and the Police Officers are technically responsible to the Town Marshal, who in turn works for the Town Council; and,

WHEREAS, when these Personnel Policies were presented in August of 2004, the discussion was held concerning to whom the Policies would apply. The Clerk-Treasurer stated clearly that he was unsure he wanted these policies to apply to his employees and the Marshal stated that he felt these policies fell short of the extra requirements set forth for Police Officers in the State of Indiana under the provisions of Indiana Code 36-5-7; and

WHEREAS, the State Board of Accounts has decided that the Town's Personnel Policies adopted on 8/19/2004 are applicable to all employees in the Town.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED:

SECTION 1. Section 34.15 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby amended to read:

§ 34.15 PERSONNEL POLICIES; ADOPTION BY REFERENCE.

(A) The town's Personnel Policies shall henceforth be those referenced and further identified as being dated August 13, 2004 and are applicable to the Town's Utilities Workers. These Personnel Policies are not applicable to the Town's Marshal and his employees. These Personnel Policies may be applicable to the Town's Clerk-Treasurer's employees as s/he sees fit. These Personnel Policies may be amended and enhanced from time to time in the future.

(B) The Personnel Policies are hereby adopted by reference as if set out in full herein. Copies are available through city town offices.

SECTION 2. There is hereby created a Section 34.15.1 of the Code of Ordinances and it shall read as follows:

§ 34.15.1 POLICE PERSONNEL POLICIES; ADOPTION BY REFERENCE.

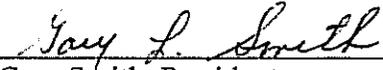
(A) The Town's Marshal's Department Personnel Policies shall henceforth be those referenced and further identified as being dated May 4, 2006, adopted by the Town Council on that date, after being reviewed from initial presentation on January 19, 2006.

(B) The Police Personnel Policies are hereby adopted by reference as if set out in full herein. Copies are available from the Town Marshal's office.

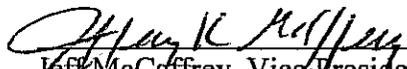
SECTION 3. The remainder of Section 34 of the Code of Ordinances is confirmed and reiterated.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that all Ordinances of the Town of Georgetown, Indiana which are in conflict with this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict, and any Ordinance not in conflict with this Ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

Adopted by the Town Council of the Town of Georgetown, Indiana, this 21 day of December, 2006.



Gary Smith, President



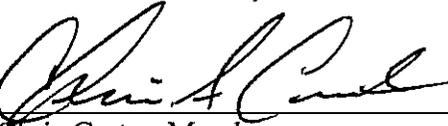
Jeff McCaffrey, Vice President



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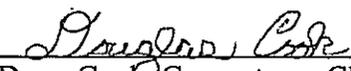


Dean Hammersmith, Member



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ATTEST:



Doug Cook, Georgetown Clerk/Treasurer